

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 86

RESOLUTION CHAPTER 126

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 86—Relative to California Highway Patrol Officer George W. Redding Memorial.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SCR 86, Johannessen. CHP Officer George W. Redding Memorial.

This measure would request the Department of Transportation to grant, without charge, encroachment permits authorizing appropriate memorials funded by nonstate sources to be placed within the right-of-way of State Highway Route 273 in Shasta County to honor the memory of California Highway Patrol Officer George W. Redding.

WHEREAS, Twenty-five years ago, California Highway Patrol Officer George W. Redding, a dedicated officer, died in the line of duty on August 17, 1977, as a result of injuries sustained when struck by a utility pole guy wire while investigating a traffic collision on State Highway Route 273 in Shasta County; and

WHEREAS, Officer Redding joined the Department of the California Highway Patrol in January 1966, graduated from the patrol academy and was assigned to the San Leandro area on May 25, 1966, and transferred to the Redding area on September 15, 1969; and

WHEREAS, Officer Redding, as a result of his steadfast and selfless dedication to the citizens of the State of California, and his commitment and contributions to the safety of the motoring public, represented the Department of the California Highway Patrol in an outstanding manner; and

WHEREAS, In recognition of his ultimate sacrifice for the citizens of the state, it is befitting that on the northbound and southbound portions of State Highway Route 273 in the vicinity of mile-post markers 273SHA6.50 and 273SHA10.50 in the unincorporated area of Shasta County appropriate memorials be placed to honor his memory; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly thereof concurring, That the Department of Transportation is requested to grant, without charge, the necessary encroachment permits authorizing appropriate memorials, funded by nonstate sources, to be placed within the right-of-way of northbound and southbound State Highway Route

273 in the vicinity of milepost markers 273SHA6.50 and 273SHA10.50; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate transmit copies of this resolution to the Department of Transportation and the author for appropriate distribution.

